

STORY COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH

STORY COUNTY ADMINISTRATION 900 6TH STREET NEVADA, IOWA 50201

Minutes

AN AUDIO RECORDING OF THE FULL MEETING MAY BE FOUND IN THE ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT, OR BY VISITING WWW.STORYCOUNTYIOWA.GOV

DATE: December 21, 2021

CALL TO ORDER: 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Zoom Meeting

Dr. John Paschen, Chair

Mark Speck

Dr. John Kluge

Dr. Louisa Tabatabai

Dr. Molly Lee Vice-Chair

Lisa Heddens (Ex-officio)

*Absent

STAFF PRESENT: Kimberly Grandinetti, Environmental Health Director; Matthew Cory, Environmental Specialist, Stephanie Jones, Recording Secretary

OTHER PEOPLE PRESENT:

1. CALL TO ORDER

Dr. John Paschen called the meeting to order at 3:00 p.m.

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion by Speck, Second by Lee, to approve agenda. (MCU)

3. PUBLIC FORUM: None

4. ADDITIONAL ITEMS:

Aquatic Facility Ordinance

Kimberly Grandinetti stated that the new Aquatic Ordinance is being brought to the board today for approval and a recommendation to move on to the Board of Supervisors. A stakeholder's meeting was held on December 13, 2021, with a good turnout.

Tabatabai asked if this would be in addition to the lowa Code for swimming pools/spas. Grandinetti stated the lowa Code would still be used, which has been adopted by reference, and this Ordinance would be to supplement that. Lee asked about stakeholder's comments. Grandinetti stated changes included: how often and when test results would need to be posted and everyone in the facilities would need to know who to contact in the event that there is an issue. Matt Cory also stated that there were minor language changes made to the definitions of the certified person in charge and responsible person. A daily pre-opening checklist is a form to be checked off and the form will be provided to the



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facilities.

Paschen asked if the stakeholders were overall in agreement with the new requirements. Grandinetti stated they understood why this is being done and no negative feedback was received. Heddens asked who is trained for inspections. Grandinetti stated that currently Matt and Taylor are Certified Pool Operators.

Motion by Lee, Second by Speck to approve the Aquatic Ordinance and recommend to go to the Board of Supervisors. (MCU)

7. COMMENTS:

Staff: None

Board: Paschen stated that the Board of Supervisors did not take action on the recommendation for requiring county employees be vaccinated, and that they are waiting for OSHA guidelines and for the Supreme Court ruling. Paschen recognized Tabatabai and Speck for their service on the Board of Health. The two new Board of Health members will be Betsy Matos who is an assistant professor, and Sherrie Pleis who is a veterinarian.

ADJOURNMENT 3:16 p.m.

Approval of Minutes

Title and Date